

# USPHS Volunteer Community Outreach Event – April 26, 2008

## Kohl's Cares for Kids Block Party



Participation in this single event directly benefited, "The Family Tree" – Providing Solutions, Preventing Child Abuse, through a donation from Kohl's in the amount of \$6,000.00.

The Family Tree is Maryland's leading 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization dedicated to improving our community by providing families with proven solutions to prevent child abuse and neglect.



Front Row (L to R): LCDR Skanchy, Jeanne - Pharmacy; CDR Hahm, Huijeong Ashley - Pharmacy; LCDR Chan, Ivy - Therapist; LCDR Lee, Christina - Pharmacy; LCDR Anderson, Randy - Pharmacy Back Row: CDR John Quinn – Pharmacy

This USPHS volunteer community outreach event took place, Saturday April 26, 2008, and the weather was perfect. The "Kohl's Cares for Kids Block Party" event focused on kid safety, child abuse prevention, and general healthy habits. A steady stream of kids and parents stopped by the booth to pick up information covering topics such as teen alcoholism, tobacco use prevention, street drugs (like marijuana) usage, diabetes, high blood pressure, USPHS recruitment brochures, poison prevention, women's health, poison control magnets, stickers and even poison control tattoos for the kids. It was a fun day educating the public on healthy life style choices and all the while, raising the awareness of the U.S. Public Health Service's presence in the community.

